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Streamline flow

- ▶ Slow and steady flow
- ▶ Liquid flow-flow of different layers
- ▶ In a layer- all the particle has same velocity
- ▶ Different layers- velocities different



↑ Velocities of layers increases as distance from the fixed surface increases

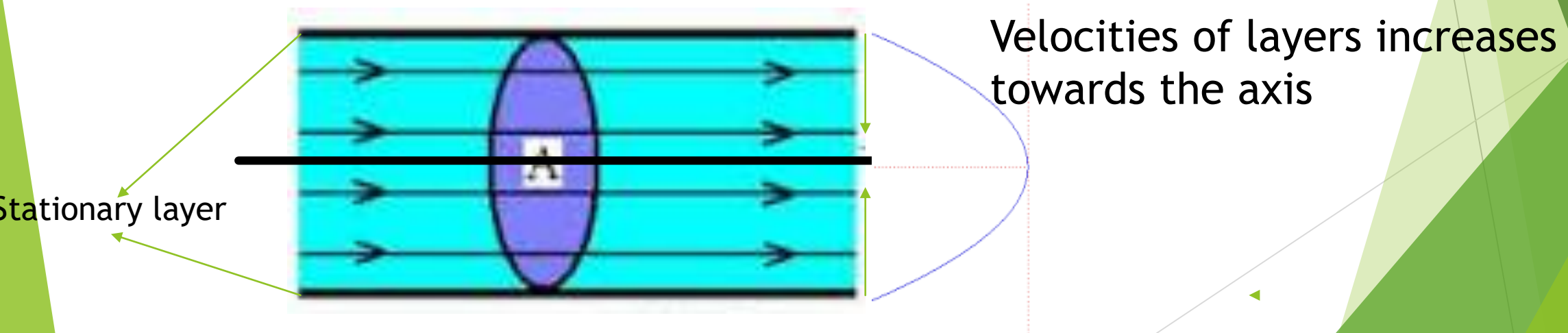
$$\text{Velocity Gradient} = \frac{\text{Change of velocity}}{\text{distance}} = \frac{dv}{dx}$$

Layer in contact with fixed surface- stationary



Liquid flow in a tube

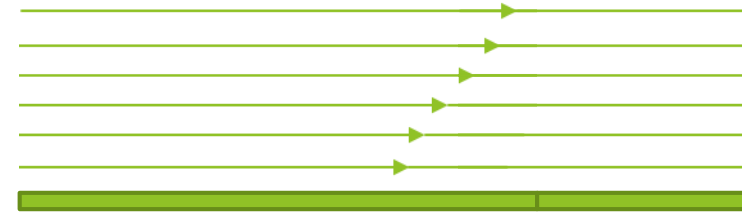
- ▶ The layers are coaxial cylindrical shells
- ▶ Layer in contact with the tube is stationary
- ▶ Velocity increases towards the axis





Viscosity

- ▶ Any layer- retarded by below layer
- accelerated by above layer
- ▶ Net tangential force which opposes the motion
- ▶ Viscosity - Property of a liquid by virtue of which it opposes the relative motion between its different layers





Coefficient of Viscosity

- ▶ According to Newton,

Viscous force \propto area \times velocity gradient

$$F \propto A \frac{dv}{dx}$$

$$F = -\eta A \frac{dv}{dx} \text{ (Newton's law of viscous flow in stream line motion)}$$

- ▶ Negative sign-viscous force is opposite to velocity
- ▶ When $A = 1, \frac{dv}{dx} = 1, |F| = \eta$
- ▶ Coefficient of Viscosity- Tangential force per unit area to maintain unit velocity gradient between the layers of the liquid



Unit & Dimension

$$\blacktriangleright F = -\eta A \frac{dv}{dx} \quad \eta = -\frac{F}{A \frac{dv}{dx}}$$

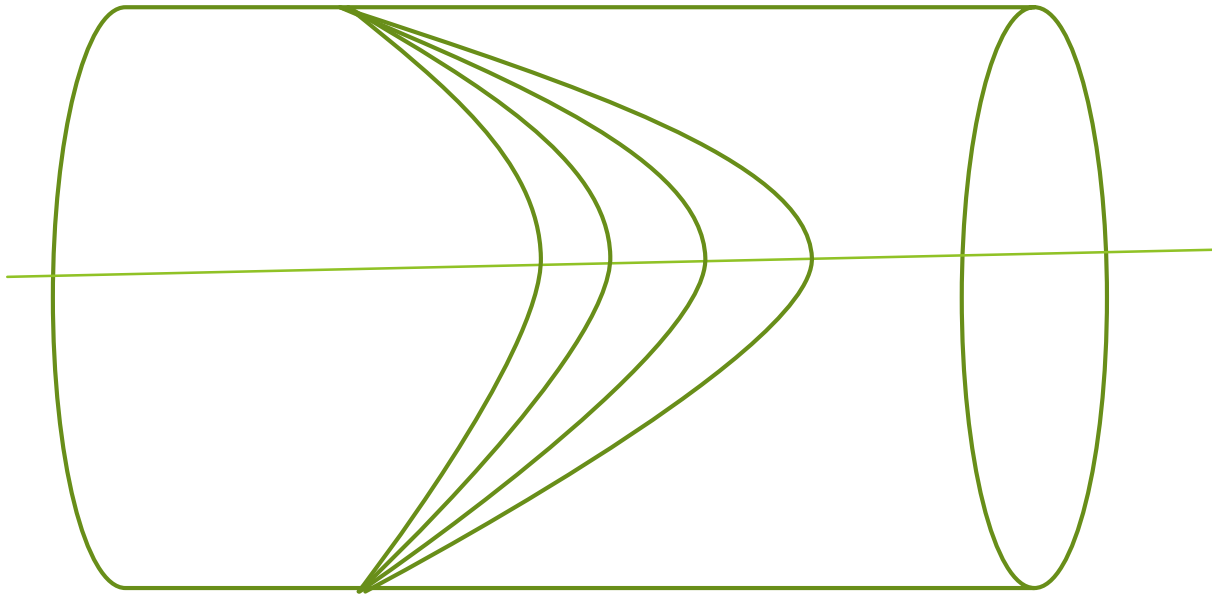
$$\blacktriangleright \text{Unit of } \eta = \frac{N}{m^2 \frac{ms^{-1}}{m}} = \frac{N}{m^2 s^{-1}} = \frac{Ns}{m^2} = \text{Pascal second} = \text{Poiseuille}$$

$$\blacktriangleright \text{Dimension of } \eta = \frac{MLT^{-2}}{L^2 \frac{LT^{-1}}{L}} = \frac{MLT^{-2}}{L^2 T^{-1}} = ML^{-1} T^{-1}$$



Poiseuille's Equation

Rate of flow of a liquid through a tube



- ▶ Consider a liquid of
Coefficient of viscosity η ,
flowing through a tube of
Length- l
Radius- r
Pressure difference across 2
ends- P

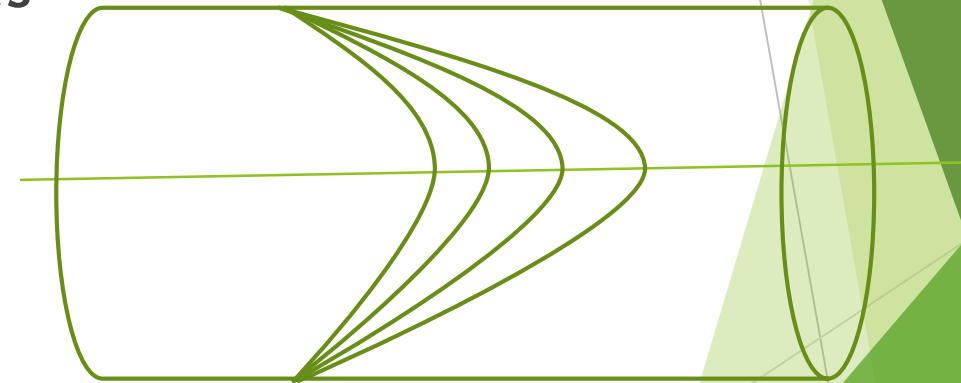


Poiseuille's Equation

Rate of flow of a liquid through a tube

► Assumptions

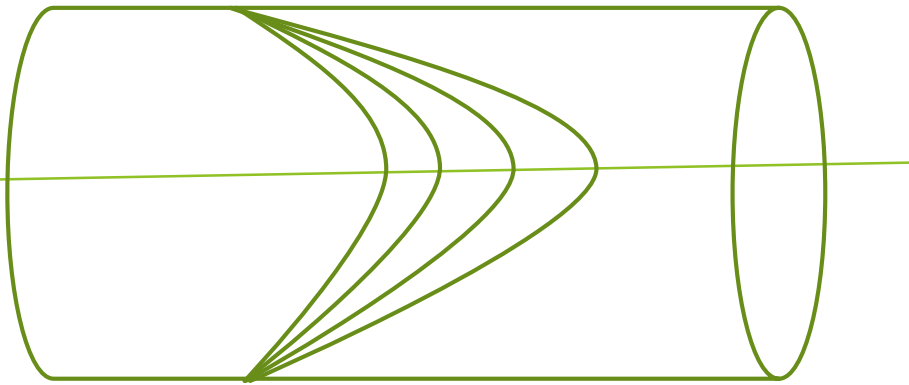
- ✓ The flow of liquid is steady and streamline
- ✓ The tube is horizontal, so that gravity does not affect the flow of liquid
- ✓ The liquid layer in contact with the tube remains stationary
- ✓ The pressure is constant over any cross section, so that there is no radial flow of liquid.
- ✓ The liquid yields only small shearing stress





Poiseuille's Equation

Rate of flow of a liquid through a tube



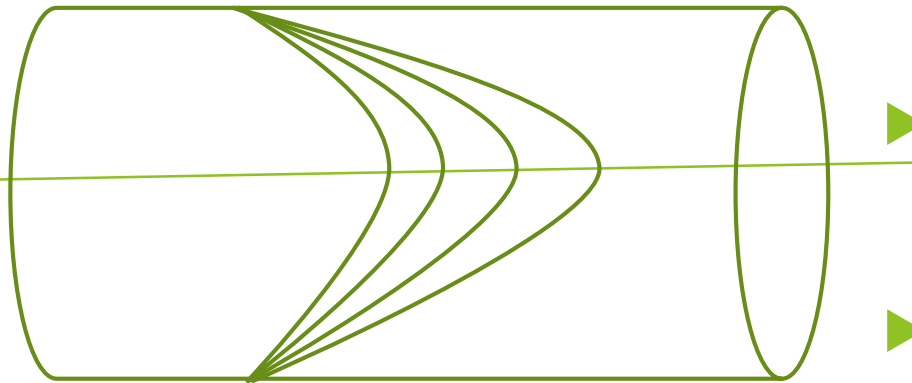
- ▶ Consider a cylindrical layer of
x - radius
v- velocity of all points in this layer
- ▶ Area of the layer $A = 2\pi xl$
- ▶ Viscous force acting on this layer

$$F = -\eta A \frac{dv}{dx} = -\eta 2\pi xl \frac{dv}{dx}$$



Poiseuille's Equation

Rate of flow of a liquid through a tube



- ▶ Due to the pressure difference between the ends of the tube, there is a forward force

- ▶ Force due to Pressure difference,

$$F = \pi x^2 P$$

- ▶ When the flow of the liquid is steady and streamline, these two forces are equal and opposite.

$$-\eta 2\pi x l \frac{dv}{dx} = \pi x^2 P$$

$$dv = -\frac{P}{2\eta l} x dx$$



Poiseuille's Equation

Rate of flow of a liquid through a tube

- ▶ Integrating,
$$v = -\frac{Px^2}{4\eta l} + C_1$$
- ▶ To find C_1 -Constant of Integration
 - ▶ when $x=r$, $v=0$ (The liquid layer in contact with the tube remains stationary)

$$0 = -\frac{Pr^2}{4\eta l} + C_1 \quad C_1 = \frac{Pr^2}{4\eta l}$$

$$v = -\frac{Px^2}{4\eta l} + \frac{Pr^2}{4\eta l} = \frac{P}{4\eta l} (r^2 - x^2)$$

This is equation for a parabola. It shows that the velocity distribution curve is parabolic



Poiseuille's Equation

Rate of flow of a liquid through a tube

- ▶ Imagine a cylindrical shell Of radius x and thickness dx
- ▶ Cross sectional area of the shell, $dA = 2\pi x dx$
- ▶ Volume of liquid flowing through this area per second

$$dV = v dA = \frac{P}{4\eta l} (r^2 - x^2) 2\pi x dx = \frac{\pi P}{2\eta l} (r^2 - x^2) x dx$$

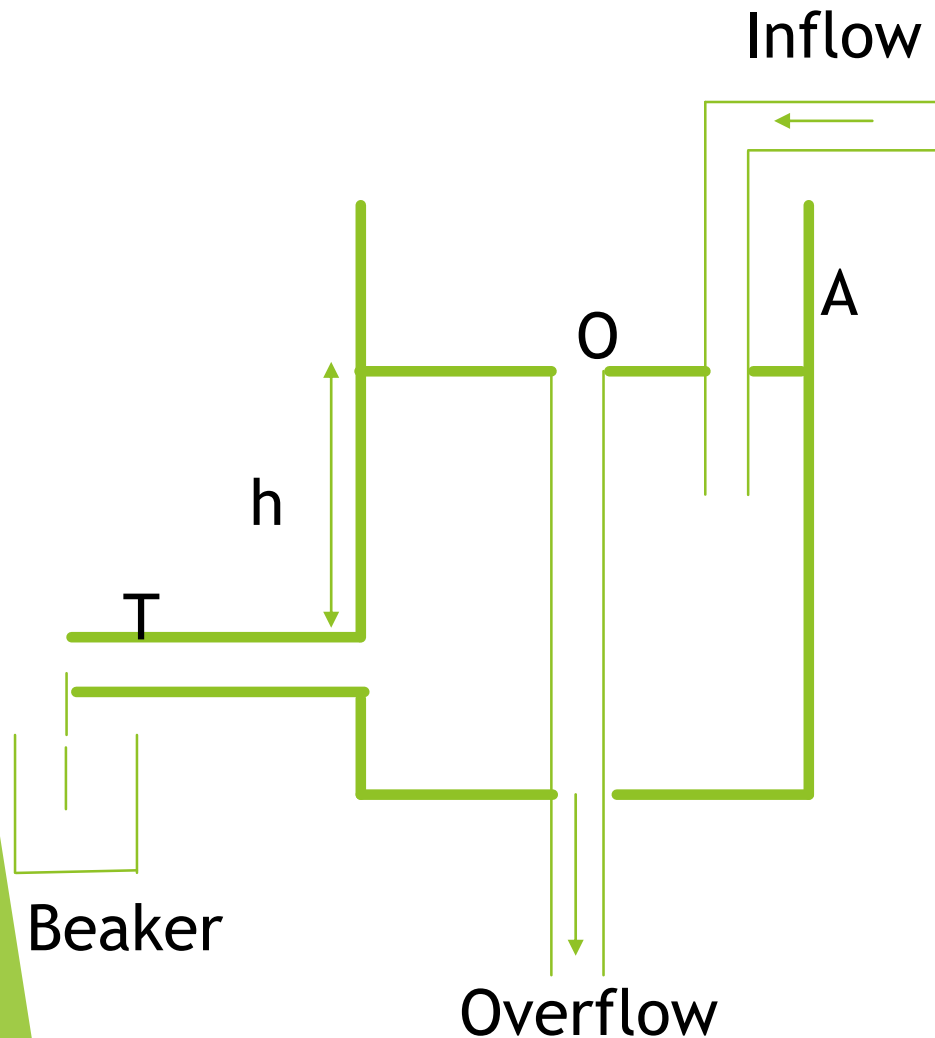
- ▶ Volume of liquid flowing through the tube per second= Integrating the expression within the limit $x=0$ to $x=r$

$$V = \frac{\pi P}{2\eta l} \int_0^r (r^2 - x^2) x dx = \frac{\pi P}{2\eta l} \int_0^r (r^2 x - x^3) dx = \frac{\pi P}{2\eta l} \left[\frac{r^2 x^2}{2} - \frac{x^4}{4} \right]_0^r$$

$$V = \frac{\pi P r^4}{8\eta l}$$



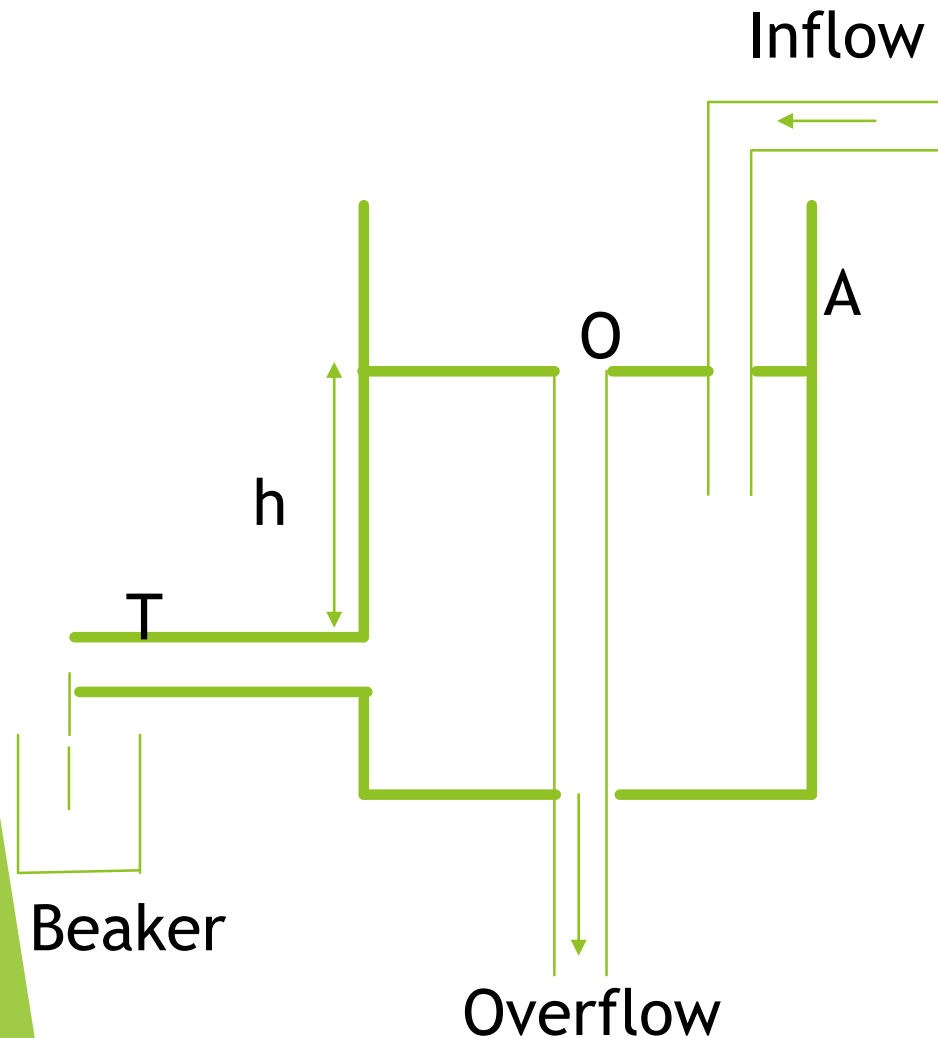
Determination of coefficient of viscosity- Poiseuille's method



- ▶ Vessel A
- ▶ Constant Pressure head h -maintained by outflow arrangement
- ▶ Height of pressure head can be varied by adjusting O
- ▶ Capillary tube-T of length- l , radius- r fixed horizontally near the bottom of vessel
- ▶ A beaker of known weight is placed below the free end of the capillary tube



Determination of coefficient of viscosity- Poiseuille's method



- ▶ The weight of the dry beaker is taken
- ▶ The liquid flowing through the tube is collected for a known time
- ▶ The mass of the liquid collected is calculated
- ▶ Volume of the liquid = $\frac{\text{Mass}}{\text{Density}}$
- ▶ Rate of flow = $\frac{\text{Volume of the liquid}}{\text{Time}}$
- ▶ Coefficient of Viscosity,

$$\eta = \frac{\pi Pr^4}{8Vl}$$



Derivation of Stoke's Equation

- ▶ Consider a spherical body fall through a viscous medium
- ▶ Assumptions
 - ▶ The spherical body is rigid and smooth
 - ▶ There is no slip between spherical body & medium'
 - ▶ The medium through which the body moves is of infinite extent
 - ▶ The medium is homogeneous
 - ▶ The diameter of the body is large compared with intermolecular distance of the medium
 - ▶ No waves or eddy currents set up in the medium during the motion of the body



Derivation of Stoke's Equation

- ▶ When a body falls through viscous medium, motion is opposed by viscous force

$$F = -\eta A \frac{dv}{dx}$$

- ▶ F increases with velocity
- ▶ When the viscous force=Gravitational force, Body attains constant velocity -Terminal Velocity

- ▶ According to Stoke's law,

- ▶ Viscous force, $F \propto v^a r^b \eta^c$

$$F = K v^a r^b \eta^c$$

F-Viscous Force

v-terminal velocity

r -radius

η -Coefficient of Viscosity

K-Dimensionless constant



$$F = K v^a r^b \eta^c$$

- ▶ Taking dimensions

$$MLT^{-2} = (LT^{-1})^a L^b (ML^{-1}T^{-1})^c = M^c L^{(a+b-c)} T^{-(a+c)}$$

- ▶ Comparing dimensions of M,

$$c=1$$

- ▶ Comparing dimensions of T,

$$-(a+c)=-2 \quad a+1=2 \quad a=1$$

- ▶ Comparing dimensions of L,

$$(a+b-c)=1 \quad b=1-a+c=1-1+1=1 \quad b=1$$

$$F = K v r \eta$$

$$K=6\pi$$

$$F = 6\pi v r \eta$$



Derivation of Stoke's Equation

- ▶ When a body falls through a liquid,

ρ – Density of the body

σ – Density of the medium

Weight of the body = $Mg = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3 \rho g$ (Downward)

Upward thrust on the body by the medium = Weight of the liquid displaced
 $= \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3 \sigma g$

Resultant downward force = $\frac{4}{3}\pi r^3 \rho g - \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3 \sigma g = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3 (\rho - \sigma)g$



Derivation of Stoke's Equation

- ▶ When terminal velocity is attained,

$$6\pi\eta r v = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3(\rho - \sigma)g$$

$$\eta = \frac{2r^2(\rho - \sigma)g}{9v}$$

$$\text{Terminal Velocity, } v = \frac{2r^2(\rho - \sigma)g}{9\eta}$$

$$v \propto r^2, \quad v \propto (\rho - \sigma) \quad v \propto \frac{1}{\eta}$$



Application of Stoke's law

$$6\pi\eta r v = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3(\rho - \sigma)g$$

- ▶ To determine coefficient of viscosity of liquids
- ▶ To determine radius of small spherical objects like rain drops
- ▶ To determine electronic charge in Millikan's oil drop method



Application of Stoke's law

Examples

▶ Formation of cloud of tiny drops of water

- ▶ Tiny drops of water - small radius -0.001 cm
- ▶ - small Terminal velocity $\approx 1.2\text{cm/s}$
- ▶ They remain suspended in air
- ▶ Appear to be floating

$$v \propto r^2$$



Application of Stoke's law

Examples

▶ Rain drops

- ▶ Bigger drops of water - big radius -0.01 cm $v \propto r^2$
 - big Terminal velocity $\approx 120 \text{ cm/s}$
- ▶ They fall through air



Application of Stoke's law

Examples

- ▶ If $\rho > \sigma$, Terminal velocity = positive

The body will move downward

- ▶ If $\rho < \sigma$, Terminal velocity = negative

The body will move upward

Eg: Air bubbles formed in water

- ▶ For a small bubble, $v \propto r^2$, terminal velocity small, **small air bubbles will move up with small velocity**

- ▶ When the size increases, $v \propto r^2$, Terminal velocity increases

$$6\pi\eta r v = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3(\rho - \sigma)g$$

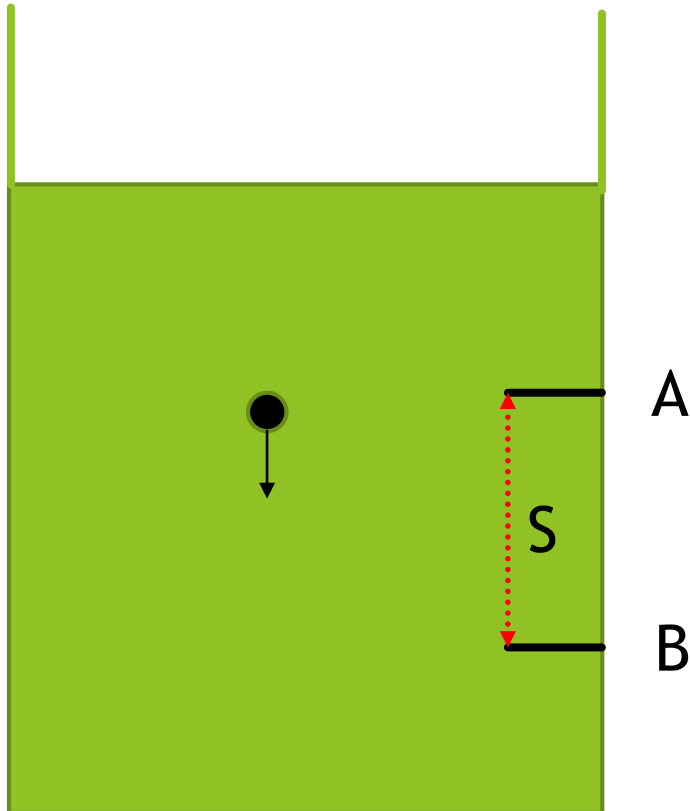
$$\text{Terminal Velocity, } v = \frac{2}{9} \frac{r^2(\rho - \sigma)g}{\eta}$$



Determination of coefficient of viscosity- Stoke's falling viscometer

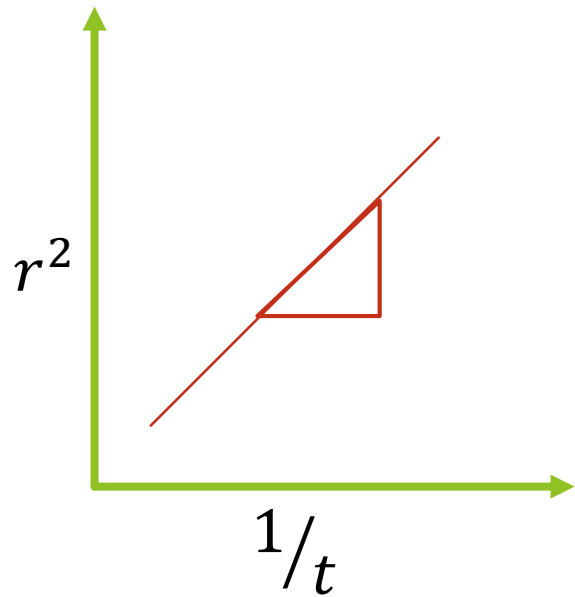
- ▶ The liquid whose η to be determined is taken in a jar
- ▶ Put two marks, A & B on the jar
- ▶ Tiny sphere of known radius is dropped centrally
- ▶ A stopwatch is started when the sphere just crosses A
- ▶ It is stopped just it cross B
- ▶ Distance AB=S, Time taken to cross AB=t
- ▶ Terminal Velocity, $v = \frac{S}{t}$

$$\eta = \frac{2r^2(\rho - \sigma)g}{9v} = \frac{2r^2t(\rho - \sigma)g}{9S}$$





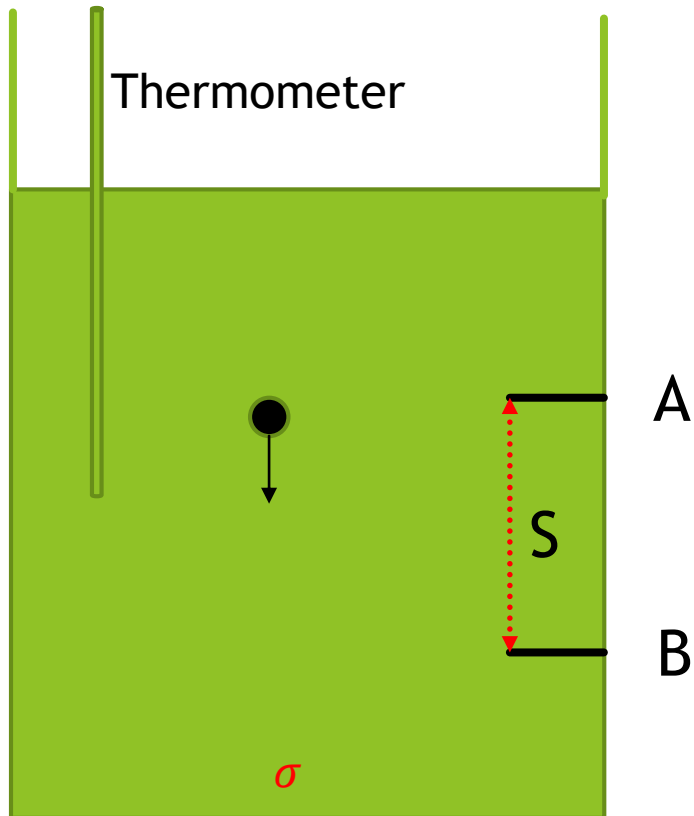
Determination of coefficient of viscosity- Stoke's falling viscometer



- ▶ The experiment is repeated for spheres of different radii
- ▶ Time is noted in all cases
- ▶ A graph is plotted between r^2 and $1/t$
- ▶ It will be a straight line
- ▶ Slope = $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{r^2}{1/t} = r^2 t$
- ▶ $r^2 t$ is constant



Determination of coefficient of viscosity- Stoke's falling viscometer



- ▶ η for different temperatures can be found out
- ▶ A sensitive thermometer is used to measure the temperature of the liquid



Brownian Motion

- ▶ Brownian motion is the seemingly random movement of particles suspended in a fluid.
- ▶ It is the clearest proof of molecular agitation.
- ▶ It was first noticed by ROBERT BROWN in 1827
- ▶ Albert Einstein and Marian Smoluchowski predicted a solution for this
- ▶ Einstein's predictions were verified by Perrin and was awarded the Nobel prize for Physics





- ▶ According to Einstein,
 - ▶ The colloidal particle is struck by several molecules of dispersion medium
 - ▶ The movement is caused by unequal number of molecules of medium striking from opposite direction.
 - ▶ When more molecules strike the particle from one side than other direction of movement changes.
- ▶ Avg. Translational K.E= Avg K.E

$$\frac{1}{2}M\vec{V}^2 = \frac{1}{2}m\vec{v}^2 = \frac{3}{2}k_B T$$

M=Mass of colloidal particle

V=Velocity of colloidal particle

m=mass of molecules of medium at absolute temp. T

v=velocity of molecules of medium at absolute temp. T

k_B =Boltzmann's constant



- ▶ The Boltzmann's constant k_B is given by

$$k_B = \frac{R}{N_A}$$

R=Universal gas constant
 N_A =Avogadro's number

- ▶ According to kinetic theory,

the mean Brownian displacement, \bar{x} of a particle from its original position along a given axis after t seconds is,

$$\bar{x} = \left(\frac{RTt}{3\eta\pi r N_A} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

r=radius of particle
T=absolute temp.
 η =coefficient of viscosity



Viscosity of gases

- ▶ Viscosity of gases arises from the molecular diffusion that transports momentum between layers of flow.
- ▶ The kinetic theory of gases allows accurate prediction of the behaviour of gaseous viscosity.
- ▶ Viscosity is independent of pressure.
- ▶ It increases as temperature increases.



Viscosity of liquids	Viscosity of gases
η_{Liquid} decreases with temperature	η_{gas} increases with temperature
While flowing, The molecules of liquid layer in contact with the walls remain stationary	Slipping occurs
Since the liquid is incompressible, $\frac{Volume}{t}$ is constant	Since density varies with pressure, $\frac{mass}{t}$ is constant



Meyer's formula

- ▶ Consider a gas flowing through a tube
- ▶ Let
 - ▶ V = volume of the gas flowing per second
 - ▶ X = distance from the inlet end of the tube
 - ▶ ρ = density of the gas
 - ▶ P = uniform pressure
- ▶ During the flow
 - ▶ density and volume of gas flowing through any section change
 - ▶ Mass of the gas flowing through any section taken to be constant

$$\rho V = \text{constant} \qquad \rho \propto P$$

$$PV = \text{constant}$$



► Consider

- dx- A section of the tube
- At a distance X from the inlet end
- With a pressure difference dP

► Poiseuille's formula $V = \frac{\pi Pr^4}{8\eta l}$

► Substituting for l=dx

$$P=dP$$

$$V = \frac{\pi r^4 dP}{8\eta dx}$$

► As x increases P decreases,

$$V = - \frac{\pi r^4 dP}{8\eta dx}$$



▶ $PV = \text{constant} = K$

$$V = -\frac{\pi r^4}{8\eta} \frac{dP}{dx}$$

▶ $PV = -\frac{\pi Pr^4}{8\eta} \frac{dP}{dx} = K$

▶ $-\frac{\pi Pr^4}{8\eta} dP = K dx$

$$-\frac{\pi r^4}{8\eta} P dP = K dx$$

▶ $-\frac{\pi r^4}{8\eta} \int_{P_1}^{P_2} P dP = K \int_0^l dx$

P_1 - Pressure at the inlet of the tube
 P_2 - Pressure at the outlet of the tube

▶ Integrating

$$-\frac{\pi r^4}{16\eta} (P_2^2 - P_1^2) = Kl$$

$$\frac{\pi r^4}{16\eta} (P_1^2 - P_2^2) = Kl$$

$$K = \frac{\pi r^4}{16\eta l} (P_1^2 - P_2^2)$$



► $PV = \text{constant} = K = P_1V_1 = P_2V_2$

$$P_1V_1 = P_2V_2 = \frac{\pi r^4}{16\eta l} (P_1^2 - P_2^2)$$

This is **Meyer's formula** for gaseous flow through a capillary tube



Effect of pressure on the viscosity of gases

- ▶ James Clerk Maxwell published a paper in 1866 explained gaseous viscosity using the kinetic theory of gases
- ▶ The viscosity coefficient \propto density (pressure),
 \propto mean free path
 \propto mean velocity of atoms
- ▶ mean free path $\propto \frac{1}{\text{density (pressure)}}$
- ▶ So increase of pressure doesn't change viscosity
- ▶ **But at high pressures, Viscosity of gases increases with pressure**



Effect of temperature on the viscosity of gases

- ▶ The viscosity of gases increases with temperature
- ▶ Sutherland's formula can be used to derive the viscosity of an ideal gas as a function of the temperature

$$\eta = \eta_0 \left(\frac{T_0 + C}{T + C} \right) \left(\frac{T}{T_0} \right)^{3/2}$$

η = Viscosity in (Pa.s) at input temperature T

η_0 = Reference Viscosity in (Pa.s) at reference temperature T_0 (273 K)

C = Sutherland's constant for the gas

- ▶ This equation is valid for temperatures between $0 < T < 555 \text{ K}$



Thank You